

Local Governmental and Governmental Employees Tort Immunity Act (745 ILCS 10/9-103(d))

Local public entities are also required to provide benefits pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act. A local public entity may conventionally insure the workers' compensation exposure or may individually or jointly self-insure the exposure provided it complies with any other statutory requirements specifically related to local public entities. No approval from the Commission is required. However, local public entities that are individually or jointly self-insured to protect against liability under the Workers' Compensation and Occupational Diseases Acts shall file with the Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission a report indicating an election to self-insure.